



PAUL BUNYAN RIDERS SNOWMOBILE CLUB

P.O. Box 61, Lakewood, WI 54138

APRIL, 2019 NEWSLETTER

Dear Paul Bunyan Members;

Our March 12, 2019 meeting was called to order by President Dave Thomson, with 17 members present at Phil's Philling Station. A motion was made by Dawn Schmocker and seconded by Julie Pommering to approve the minutes of the last meeting as printed in the newsletter or sent by email. M/C.

The treasurer's report was given by Mary Kay Thomson, and a motion was made by Patty Martin, and seconded by Dawn Schmocker, to accept the report as given. M/C

Trail report was given by Bob Prasser: The trails can't get much better. They are the best they have been in years. Thanks to Bob Goble, Dennis Pommering and ALL the groomer operators for an outstanding job this season. There was an incident with an abandoned Truck on one of our trails. We removed it with permission of authorities and should be getting reimbursed for our costs.

Oconto County Alliance/AWSC Report by Kurt Butler: The minutes of the March OCSA meeting were sent out to all members with email access. Kurt requested Diane resend the AWSC information regarding Blue Mounds State Park and a request for comments on limiting Snowmobile access in this area. It is hoped we will make our voices heard so this can't happen in other areas. There was no AWSC Youth Program Report.

Old Business: It was again mentioned the club has no interest in allowing ATV/UTV access on any snowmobile trails, or the Nicolet State Trail, regardless of low/no snow conditions in Oconto County.

New Business:

- Brat Fry Dates are **Saturday, May 25, 2019** and **Friday August 2, 2019**. We still need volunteers to work. **Please contact Diane** by email or phone 715 340 8824 to sign up.
- Elections were held. A unanimous motion was made by Dennis Pommering and seconded by Kurt Butler to elect the entire slate of Officers & Board members. M/C.

The 2019-2020 Officers & Board Members are:

President – Dave Thomson;

Vice President – Jim Wisneski;

Treasurer – Ron Schmocker, Sr.;

Secretary – Diane Fitzpatrick;

Board Members – Brian Fitzpatrick, Bob Goble, Russ Kralovetz, Dean Martin,

Mary Kay Thomson. (Thank you again to Mary Kay for her 16 years of service as Treasurer.)

Door Prize: A bottle of Rum donated by Phil's Philling Station, was won by Dean Martin, who asked that the club sell raffle tickets for it. It was then won by Julie Pommering. Thanks to Phil and Heather for hosting the meeting and for the wonderful spread of food/appetizers they had again for after the meeting.

The 50/50 Raffle: \$30 was won by Heather Gluth.

A motion to adjourn, was made by Dennis Pommering and seconded by Dawn Schmocker. M/C.

Next meeting will be September 10, 2019 at 7:00 pm. at a place to be determined. Have a safe and wonderful summer (if the snow ever melts). See you in September and at a Brat Fry!

Respectfully Submitted,
Diane Fitzpatrick, Secretary

Note: We are sad to report the passing of one of our Booster members, Renee Koch, from Birch Hills/My Bar.